
Introduced by Senator Alquist

February 18, 2005

An act to add Section 11713.15 to the Vehicle Code, relating to dealers.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 504, as introduced, Alquist. Vehicle dealerships: identity theft. Existing law generally regulates vehicle dealerships.

This bill would provide that no licensed motor vehicle dealer shall sell a vehicle without first obtaining the right thumbprint of the purchaser and a photocopy of his or her valid form of identification.

Because this bill would create a new crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. Statutory provisions establish procedures for making that reimbursement.

This bill would provide that no reimbursement is required by this act for a specified reason.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: yes.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 11713.15 is added to the Vehicle Code,
- 2 to read:
- 3 11713.15. No dealer issued a license pursuant to this article
- 4 shall sell a vehicle without first obtaining the right thumbprint of
- 5 the purchaser and a photocopy of his or her valid form of
- 6 identification.

1 SEC. 2. No reimbursement is required by this act pursuant to
2 Section 6 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution because
3 the only costs that may be incurred by a local agency or school
4 district will be incurred because this act creates a new crime or
5 infraction, eliminates a crime or infraction, or changes the
6 penalty for a crime or infraction, within the meaning of Section
7 17556 of the Government Code, or changes the definition of a
8 crime within the meaning of Section 6 of Article XIII B of the
9 California Constitution.

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